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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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(10)

Part B for May 40.

SUBJECT.

Additional equipment required in Connection with the printing of all Educational Text Books in the Govt. Presses.

(Sl 9) To The Superintendent Govt Printing
" The Controller Stationery & Forms
" Secretary, C.P.C.

WD 0573—GPB—22,500—12-39

No A/1 4524-6 Dt 29-2-40

Sanctions the proposals of the Superintendent Government Printing for the purchase of additional equipment costing Rs 82,400/-

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3) The text books prescribed for various grades of education schools are recommended by the Text Book Committee. It has fourteen subject sub-committees each of which deals with its particular branch of work.

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4) Its term order no. 25493-5 Edn
Govt 1-5-29-18
dt 9-11-30

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Govt sanctioned a Scheme for the printing, publication and Sale of text books by private presses. The main points to be mentioned of the Scheme are as follows.

(i) That as far as possible the printing, the publication and the retail Sale of text books may be entrusted to private presses, arrangements for the Stocking of the books and their retail sale being made by the presses concerned to the Satisfaction of the Dept,

(ii) That the Dept should be Satisfied by the press that its Staff. Etc; are Such as to ensure that it will be able to undertake the work Satisfactorily, before being entrusted with the work of printing,

(iii) That the retail Selling price Should be approved by the Dept, Etc.

5) The printing of the* text books was entrusted to the Bangalore Printing and Publishing Company under this Scheme. The agreement (Flag I) between the Company and the Govt was signed on* 21-1-31. This was in force for a period of five years from 1-2-31 In 1937, the contract was renewed and for a further period of five years and the Bgore Printing and Publishing Company was entrusted with the printing of the following marginally noted departmental text books (Flag 2),

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(Conditions 1-10 of the Sd)

3. Kan. Reader no I
4 — do — II
5 — do — III
6 Hunsur Desada Charitre Pt I
7 — do — Pt II
8. Kan Reader no IV
9. Childs Geography
10) Geography of the World.

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No I

* Kan. Bala Bodhe
2. Kan Reader no I
3 — do — II
4 — do — III
5 — do — IV
6 — do — V
7 — do — VI
8 — do — VII
9. Hunsur Desada Charitre I
10 — do — II.

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6) As per the recommendation of the Dir, made in this D.O. letter no D2 1015-20 of 25-36 & 15-8-36 for the needful entrusting the printing of the ~~majority of the books~~ Certain other Departmental books to other presses, Govt approved in their letter no E 2001/Gen 84-36-3 & 16-11-36 ~~that~~ the printing of Hosa Kannada Vyakarana, and Sabda darsa and Sadya Sangraha may be entrusted to other presses. — Gen 84-36-2 Flag C

7) After the introduction of Kannada as medium of instruction in High Schools, the text books — i) Great Personages in History and ii) An outline History of India in Kannada for the revised S.S.L.C. Course — which were written, were got printed in the Govt ~~Text Book Depot~~ Press. (vide letter no D2 20-2 of 37-38 & 24/10/37) — Book Gen 115-37-3 Flag V.

8) In the recent Legislative Council there was a cut motion re: the arrangements for the prescription of text books. It was brought to the notice of Govt that certain books prescribed as text books were not available and that Students were finding it very hard. It was also stated that owing to the frequent change of text books, the public were put to a lot of difficulty.

9) The Dir of P.I. explained that the difficulty

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was due to the fact that the books were not made available for sale in time by certain presses which undertook the printing and that except in English in Middle Schools, there was no change of text books in other subjects.

10) If approved the Director of Public Instruction will be requested to furnish a full note on the subject of text books, their selection, and printing.

Submitted with respect to paras 1-2 above.

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11) L.C. Office to kindly put up immediately extracts relating to the discussion about the text-book

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12) The cut-motion referred to in the office note above was discussed on 27.6.39 but the Reporters are just now transcribing their notes of the fifth day (23.6.39) so that they will take some more time to records the later portions. This requisition may therefore be renewed after a week from now. Meanwhile, an extract from the General Discussion on the budget is placed in the file (Vide Flag I) as it has a bearing on the question under adverteence.

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13) It is necessary to give them the transcripts at once, since the schools have commenced work & early orders may have to be passed. The discussion on this subject might be typed at once & sent to Mr Ed. Br. (A little change in the order of typing would not matter)

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14) A copy of the transcript relating to the discussion on the Cut motion in question is placed in the file (Flag J). The speeches have not yet been approved by the respective members.

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16) Submitted with the copy of the transcript relating to the discussion in the L.C on the Cut motion on the subject of prescription of text-books. The Director's reply is flagged Q

17) The DPI has also suggested (among the subjects for discussion at the meeting tomorrow (13-7-39) the subject of the present state of affairs in regard to getting Department of text books printed.

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18) The DPI may be consulted unofficially in the matter in the first instance 19) He may be requested (Asst. Secy.) to furnish a detailed note as to the present arrangements for selection of books & text books (pointing out things) the difficulties experienced in the Depts Observations what suggestions

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he has to make to ensure prompt printing & publication of these text books so as to avoid complaints - such text books should be ready for sale in sufficient numbers to meet the demand, a month or two before the school session commences D.P.I may be requested unofficially with a request to send an early reply.

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20) This question was discussed at yesterday's meeting with the Revenue Secretary Member & Director - The D.P.I explained that there was hopeless delay in printing these text books at the Govt Press & he cited two instances in support. The Secretary member observed that the printing of all text books may be concentrated in the Govt Press at Bangalore & the Branch Press at Mysore, that one section may be formed in each of these Presses ~~for~~ exclusively for this work, that necessary staff & equipment

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may be given for the purpose, so as to ensure the prompt supply of departmental requirements. He also suggested that the Supdt. Govt. Printing may be asked to see the D.P.I., and discuss details with him & submit necessary proposals.

2) If agreed, this file be transferred to the G. M. Branch (Printing & Stationery Section) for taking necessary action.

2nd Member) 14/7

22) 14/7/39

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3) The "Printing and Stationery Section" is now in the "Agriculture and Forest Branch". This will be transferred to that Branch.

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25- If allowed, the Govt Press will be duly requested to submit definite proposals in regard to the printing of text books in connection with the B.P.B. (as suggested in para 20 above.

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28 Secn no 20 dated 7-8-1939 forwarded, w.c. to the Superintendent Govt Press, for submission of the proposals required in para 25 above

B.G.

C.V. Narasimha Chetty
for Secretary to Govt
Development Dept
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29 Retransmitted with compliments.

The question of printing of the Text Books and Educational Publications so as to meet satisfactorily the needs of the Public in time, was discussed with

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with the Director of Public Instrction in Mysore, Bangalore, on the 17th ultimo.

30 From the figures available in the Book Depot for the past three years it is found that on an average, about forty to fifty books are required annually by the Book Depot. These books vary in bulk from 32 to 400 pages and the number of copies range from one thousand to forty-thousand—the total number of copies of ~~All~~ all books being in the neighbourhood of half a million. Due to insufficiency of equipment—accommodation, machinery and staff the Government Press has not been able to cope with the rapidly growing demands of the Education Department for Text Book printing; moreover the small private printers have also not come up to the expectations of the Education Department as detailed in the Director's Of Public Insctruction's D.O. letter No. P.S. 62 of 39-40, dated 19-7-1939, in handling the large quantities of work, over and above the work that the Government Press has managed to do under the present state of equipment.

31 If the Text Book printing has to be satisfactorily handled by the Government Presses and books supplied in time to the Book Depot for being serviced to the public without complaints, the following additional equipment is necessary.

ADDITIONAL EQUIPMENT

	Approximate cost
(a) Composing materials.- such as types, cases, stands, furniture, chases, galleys and type cabinets.	Rs 6,000/-

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ADDITIONAL EQUIPMENT (contd)

	Approximate cost
(b) Printing machines.-	
Three Double Demy Modern High Speed Printing mchines two revolution type with built in Electric motors, etc, including erection ...	Rs 45,000/-
One automatic modern platen for printing wrappers, etc,	6,500/-
(c) Binding Machinery.-	
Folding machinery including bundling presses ...	10,000/-
Guillotine and trimmer	10,000/-
Wire stitching machine up to one and half inches ...	2,500/-
TOTAL	Rs 80,000/-

Additional Establishment

Working Establishment.

	Per annum
Additional piece-wrok establishment average cost	Rs 8,000/-
Proof Readers (Four)	1,200/-
Machine miders and Asst. machine minders (twelve)	2,400/-
Binders and packers (Twenty)	2,400/-
TOTAL	Rs 8,000/-

Rs 14,000/-

6) Of the above equipment some machines have to be installed at the Central Press, Bangalore to undertake the printing of large editions of the text books in order to avoid the heavy costs of handling, packing and freight charges for the transmission of printed books from Mysore to the Book Depot at Bangalore for being distributed throughout the State.

7) In order to accommodate some of the equipment at the Central Press, the building of a factory type

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machine room 75' X 200' adjacent to the existing machine room must be taken up immediately. This addition is - absolutely necessary also for housing the large additions to equipment necessary for handling the forms works, etc, which question is being dealtwith separately by the Press Committee appointed by Government in G.O. No. 3326-32/ P. & S.43-38-1, dated 15-10-1938. For the purpose of the Text Books, at least 2 or 3 bays of the proposed - building must be made ready by the beginning of January 1940 by which time the machine equipment will also be received if orders are placed in a monthor so. The accommodation necessary for stocking and servicing largely increased supplies of books will have to be provided immediately for the Book Depot by (1) in the first instance improving the method of storage by providing metal shelving and steel racks, as has been approved by Government in letter No. G. 7288/P. & S. 13-38-5, dated 28th January 1939 and (2) by providing accommodation in the buildings to be errected in the near future in line with the Telephone Exchange Buildings.

34 The Government Branch Press at Mysore has special sections for printing in Vernacular languages: Kannada, Telugu, Urdu and Sanskrit and is attending to the printing needs of the Oriental Library, who undertake the Publication of Special works in Kannada and Sanskrit. If these

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sections are enlarged, ~~and~~ especially the Kannada Section, and suitable additions are made to the printing and binding branches, the work of printing text books of small editions in all Vernaculars may be undertaken here. Further, the lay out of the buildings at ~~the~~ Mysore is suitable for easy additions to provide extra accommodation to house some of the new equipment. Also, it is easy to arrange for straight line production, resulting in economies. I therefore submit ~~resulting in economies~~ that the building up of the gap and completing the wing of the Branch Press at Mysore as directed by the Second Member during inspection, and intimated in Development Secretary's letter No. G. 366/P. & S. 118-38-4, dated 6-7-1939 to the Chief Engineer, may be taken up immediately and completed by January 1940 to house the equipment necessary for text book printing and also urgently relieve congestion already caused by the additions to equipment made ~~afr~~ for handling the increased Railway printing work.

+ D.O. No. 457 K.G.X, C Linofile P&S 118-38-6.

3, Reorganisation proposals of the Staff of the Government Branch Press, Mysore, consequent on the greatly increased Railway printing, submitted ~~xxx~~ with this office letter No. P. 1249, dated 21-9-1938 and pending sanction, will have to be modified so as to make provision for the following additional establishment which is necessary to handle the text book printing in addition to the greatly increased Railway printing as per statistics already furnished in this office letter No. P. 5160,

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dated 27th June 1939.

ADDITIONS TO THE PERMANENT ESTABLISHMENT OF THE GOVERNMENT BRACH PRESS, MYSORE.

1)	One Sub-Asst. Superintendent to help the Assistant Superintendent in general supervision and also to instal an up-to-date Costing system in order to improve efficiency in the Working Branches. (125-10-175)	Rs 1,960/-
2)	One Binding Foreman at Rs 35-1-40	460/-
3)	One Compositors' Accountant at Rs 30/-	360/-
4)	One Valuation Accountant at Rs 30/-	360/-
5)	One Mecnanic with Electrical experiance at Rs 30/-	360/-
6)	One Despatcher at Rs 20/-	240/-
7)	One Paper Clerk at Rs 20/-	240/-
8)	Two Counters at Rs 12/- ...	280/-
	ANNUAL COST	Rs 4,260/-

36 It is estimated that on an average the bills for the work done by the above equipment annually will amount to - nearly Rs 65,000/- for printing and binding charges inclusive of the cost of paper. The present - average cost of work done by the Government Presses for Book Depot is Rs 23,000/- inclusive of the cost of - paper.

37 In this connection I wish to bring to the kind notice of Government that ~~the~~ most of the text books are meagerly illustrated and also some of the illustrations are not up-to-date. Therefore, it is very necessary to have a block making Department at the Central Press for the cheap prodution of blocks so that all the text books may

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be fully illustrated with up-to-date sketches and figures and made more attractive as well educative. The probable cost of such a department in equipment will be well within Rs 15,000/-. Such a Department will also eliminate the handicap with which the Government Press is now suffering in designing and printing of Government Publicity - Literature on modern lines for which demands are increasing daily.

Bangalore,
Dated 23rd Aug. 1939.

Ag. Superintendent, 23/8/39.
Government Printing.

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24 AUG. 1939
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39 In brief, the proposals of the Govt are as follows:—

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(1) Additional equipment for both the Presses at Bangalore & Mysore at a total estimated cost of Rs 80,000/-

(2) Additional establishment — Rs 14000/- P.A.

(3) The construction of a building of a fooling type reading room adjacent to the existing reading room of the central Press, Bangalore.

(4) Provision of necessary accommodation

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for the Book Depôt for stocking and issuing wizard supplies of books.

(5) The enlargement of Vernacular section in the Govt Branch Press at Mysore and the construction of additions to the printing and binding branches to undertake the work of printing text books of small editions in all Vernaculars.

(6) Modification of the revised proposals of the staff of the Branch Press at Mysore so as to make provision for certain additional establishment required to be handled the printing of text books. The involves extra cost to the extent of Rs 4260/- P.A.

(7) The opening of a new block making department at the central Press. The extra cost is estimated at Rs 15000/-.

40 All the above proposals involve extra cost to Govt. If they are proposed to be sanctioned the Fin Concurrence is necessary. The views of the Dir of Public Instruction are contained in his

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letter dated 19/7/39. (Limited file). Flag R.

4) In this connection, reference is invited to G.O. No. 8. 6448-512/PDS 67.-38-1 d 57.57'39 issuing instructions in regard to printing work. In para 4 of this order, it is directed that the printing work of all Govt departments & semi-official bodies, including that of educational text books, be done where work is done free of cost be done at the Govt Presses. The Supdt, in para 30 above, states that it is not possible to cope with the increase of work under the present state of equipment. As the present proposals involve heavy extra cost to Govt & as it may take some time to consider & pass final orders thereon, whether the work of printing departmental text books over & above the work that the Govt Presses could manage to do under the present state of equipment, may not be entrusted, as a last temporary measure to meet

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required private presses at Bangalore & Mysore after calling for tenders by the Supdt as contemplated in para 6 of the order d 5/1/39, is a point for consideration. This arrangement may perhaps be tried for some time i.e., for two or three years & reviewed thereafter. (The Bangalore Press & the Wesleyan Press at Mysore, in the opinion of the Dir of P. I., are the only presses in the State who could undertake printing of departmental text books & supply them promptly. Reg is also invited to the Dir's letter d 4/9/39 reporting the arrangements made for the publication of departmental text books during the current year, i.e 1939-40. On the end he says that some special arrangement must be made in the Govt Press solely for printing departmental books.)

4. On this question it is also noted that Mr. Hanumanthaya Rao of Bangalore Press & P.T. & Book

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dept have written to Govt to reconsider their order d 5-1-(1)39 with a view to give encouragement & patronage to private printing presses in a larger scale (G.O. No 963 - PWS 67-38). This is under the separate consideration of Govt.

~~The chief Engineer has~~ 43 The chief Engineer has also to be consulted re the Construction of certain additions to the Press buildings at Bangalore & Mysore. The Govt's order relating to the enhancement of the Bangalore Press buildings — which was referred to the Govt Architect for — has been returned with his remarks. The Govt Architect has called for a plan & estimate for the proposed Engineering Buildings division in the Factory Area in the Press grant the same is awaited. As regards funds, the chief Engineer has intimated that a sum of Rs 75,000/- has been ordered to be given for this work

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As proposed on note to go up and action
decided to take over the printing of Text Books,
an instruction may be issued - As the
printing of Text Books will be kept suspended
- until they received from the sale of
books - with 50000/- now asked for may
be treated as an advance and separate
accounts maintained. This will not affect
the budgetary position for 1939-40

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Prof Percy

Mr Mehta

47 If the general principle of getting these text books printed at the Government Press alone has been accepted, permission may be given for placing orders for the machines referred to in the Development Secretary's note above

This may be done

48 The question of accounting and other details may be examined later in consultation with the Comptroller.

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Agreed

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Letter no P.797 d 9/9/39 from the Superintendent Govt Printing.

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Office of the Governor-in-Council 44 The Superintendent, in his letter dated 9/9/39, records sanction for placing orders for the three printing machines at a cost of Rs 50,000/- approximately. These machines are stated to be required to enable the Press to print & supply departmental text-books as also requisites & forms satisfactorily & promptly. This involves early cost to Govt. The Indl Secy may be consulted in the matter. The proposals contained in para 39 above have to be taken up for consideration first & then the purchases asked for.

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Kindly refer is invited to para 2 of the Superintendent's letter dt 9/9/39

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45 Dept Secy 15/9

46 The power for urgent orders is where orders may be placed minimately (vide CS-9-39) for the two centrifugal machines at Rs 19,000/- each and another machine at Rs 12,350/-

It is presumed that the order will be placed through the S.P.C.

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51	Draft to the Supdt, Govt Printing & Stnry Mr 1879 5th — due today Sd/ 1879.
2	To Supdt Govt Presses No A 3 1053 Dt 18.9.39 Approves of his proposal to purchase the machines
do	The Secy S.P.C. The Comptroller to Govt No A 3 1054-5 Dt 18.9.39 Encls a copies of them
53	above
The Supdt has been permitted to place orders for three machines before 19/9/39.	The other proposals of the P.W.D. Supdt (Paras 29 to 37 above) are abstracted in Memo 39 are for orders. Whether it is cheaper &
The printing of Text Books should be in the Govt Presses vide Memo (2) above. Sd	to print Text books in Govt presses than in private presses, is not known.
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	54 Sd/ 19/9 Desk Key)
	55 Please prepare a letter from Supdt Stationery Office to the Director of Printing & Stnry
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58 In view of the present tension six. percent increase is reasonable could mercy be accepted The prices are likely to go up: and it is advisable to place the orders immediately, if the equipment is required.

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60 The revised scale may be accepted

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62 This may be shown to Dt by typ copy order

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	65 Address put up for record by Supdt 24/9 66 Recorded by 24/9.
4	To The Supdt Govt Presses No A 3. 1289 dt 21.9.39 States that the revised rates offered by the firm may be accepted
	To The Comptroller & Govt Dir Secrs S.P.C. No A 3. 1290-1 dt 24.9.39 Encls a copies of the above
	67 The Supdt has been permitted to purchase three printing machines of the various makes quoted by the firm
	68 The other proposals re the printing of departmental text-books referred to in paras 29 to 37 above, are pending. By para 47 & 48 above
	24/9. 69 DC. Issue a reminder to the Chief Engr. in the Limited file V/shop by 29/9.

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7° A reminder has been issued in the limited file (87)

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71 The Asstt. Govt. Printer, in his unofficial note of 23.9.35, has made the following proposals for handling satisfactorily the work of printing of text books by the Govt. Presses:—

I Addl. Equipment.

(1) Composing materials Rs 6000

(2) Printing machines.
- (a) 3 Printing machines. Rs 45,000
- (b) one Platen for Wrappers. 6,500

(3) Binding machinery
- (a) Folding machines — 10,000
- (b) Guillotine & trimmer 10,000
- (c) wire Stitching machine 2,500

Rs 80,000.

72 Of these, 3 printing machines @ a Cost of Rs. 53,500 (against the original spec of Rs 50,550) have been ordered to be purchased. The Asstt in his letter of 2.9.35, while asking for sanction to purchase 3 printing machines @ a Cost of Rs 50,000, has stated that this may be sanctioned pending the proposals of the Rec Committee in re addl. Equipment. The Asstt. may now be told that the proposals of the

date they will be required.

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III. Additions & improvement to the buildings at Bangalore & Mysore -

At Bangalore - For accommodating some of the equipment at the Central Press & for ~~addl.~~ relieving Congestion, the Supdt. says that the following are necessary :-

(1) a factory type machine room 25'x 200' adjacent to the existing machine room - Two or three bays must be got ready by the beginning of Jan. 1940 by which time the machines are expected to be received. The Govt Architect has called for Plans & Estimates from the Ex-Engr., Buildings &c. This is awaited. He has also been reminded.

(2) Extention of the Press buildings in front @ a Cost of Rs 25,000. The Chief Engr. has asked for Administrative Sanction for this work. ~~Four months.~~

At Mysore. ~~The Supdt.~~ The Supdt. wants that the building of the Fort & Completing the wing may be taken up & Completed by Jan. 1940. The Chief Engineer has been asked to send up Estimates of Cost.

5 As regards funds for buildings, the Chief Engineer has stated that a sum of Rs 25000 has been ordered to be given for this work from out of the Contingency fund. The question of improvements & additions may perhaps be

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Pres Committee will be awaited.

II Addl. Establishment Pa. Rs.

(1) Addl. Peice won Estt Asstt Cat. average 8,000
(2). 4 Prof Readers - - - - 1,200
( ) 12 machine ~~readers~~ minders v asst machine ~~minders~~ minders. 2,400
( ). 20 Binders v pressers. 2,400

This is probably for the Central Press. Total Rs. 14,000

Additions to the Permanent Estt of the Branch @ Delhi Rs

(1) 1 [X] Asstt Supdt (Rs 205-10-175) - - 1,260.
(2) 1 Binding Foreman @ Rs 35-1-40 = . 460
(3) 1 Comptroller's Accountant on Rs 30 - 360
(4) 1 Valuation Accountant . . 360
(5) one mechanic with Electrical Engine 360
(6) one Despatcher on Rs 20 - - 240
(7) one Paper Clerk on Rs 20 - - 240
(8) Two Centers @ Rs 12 Each - 288

Total Rs. 3,268

X This appointment is under consideration in connection with writing off the supplied Estt of the Press.

3 The additional Establishment will at an annual Cost of Rs 18,268 is for orders. The 2 Dy will have to be Controlled. All the above Establishment may perhaps be not required all at once. The Supdt. may be asked that much of the Establishment will be absolutely necessary & also from what

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Considered after the Estimates have been received. 2nd orders.

76 IV. The Supdt. wants the opening of a Stereo making Deptt @ the Central Press at an Estimated Cost of Rs 15,000. Mr. C Hayavadana Rao does not want this to be done as it will go against private Enterprise. 2 orders.

77 The Cost of immediate printing which already ordered viz Rs. 53,500 has been ordered (to be treated as an advance in note 76 above to be recovered from the Sale of books & hereafter as maintained. The Dy Secy in his note of 15-9-39, (supra 68) has stated that the question of accounting & other details may be examined later in Consultation with the Comptroller. It is for orders whether this may be done now.

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78 may be sanctioned in system

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5 From The Supdt, Govt printing
No. Compl. dt 15/10/39
Requests in the circumstances explained

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Sanction to a further enhancement of Rs 1730/- for the three printing machines sanctioned to be purchased at a cost of Rs 53,583/-

19 Subd. As the purchase of the machines at a cost of Rs 53,583/- had been sanctioned the slight increase had also to be perhaps sanctioned as this increase is towards war risk marine insurance.

Hdo 17/10/39 Dep Secy)

Rs 3215

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Rs And 24.10.39 qr

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83 Rs 26-7-37

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A draft is put up for orders

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6	To The Supdt Govt Presses No AJ 1939 dt 27/10/39 conveys the sanction of Govt in the matter To The Secy S.P.C. The Comptroller to Govt No AJ AJ 1940-1 dt 27/10/39 Fds a copies of the above.

8) ~~Vide proposals of the Supdt~~
The Supdt Govt Printing has been printed to pay an additional sum of Rs 1730/- claimed by Messrs Simplex & Machinery, ~~Ltd~~, Limited for the three printing machines.

9) The proposals of the Supdt (Paras 2 & to 3) in regard to the printing of departmental text-books in the Govt Presses is for orders. ~~We~~ Govt may be consulted in the matter.
Re para 7 ante

Sec to Govt 30/10 (& Dep Secy) 30/10

10) Please run on all the several points requiring orders. The action to be taken on each point, and action to be taken

Sec to Govt 31.10.39 TA

Eg. Addl machinery
Addl accommodation
Addl Establishment
Reorganisation etc

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Paras 29 & 37 above

Additional Equipment.

90 In connection with the printing of educational text-books, the Superintendent, Govt. Printing, submitted certain proposals to Govt for the consideration of Govt.

91 I Additional equipment-

(1) Composing machines Rs 6,000
(2) (a) Printing machines Rs 45,000
(b) One automatic modern platen for printing wrappers etc- Rs 6,500.
(3) Binding machinery Rs 22,500.

Requirements have already been accorded

Sanction was already accorded to the purchase of three printing machines (2) (a) above at a cost of Rs 5-0, 5-5-0/- Since the prices of these machines have gone up on account of the out-break of war, the revised cost, viz., Rs 5-5,313 (including war risk marine insurance) quoted by the firm was accepted.

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Point for orders

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Engineering may be made if (1) 2 (b) & 3 are available and proper instructions regarding may be expected

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Orders are received, in regard to the purchase of other additional equipment- Nos (1), (2) (b), & (3) above at an approximate cost of Rs 35,000/-

In his letter dt 8-9-39 while asking for the immediate supply of 3 printing machines @ a cost of Rs 50,000 the Supdt. stated that this may be taken pending the proposals of the Committee in re: addl Equipment. The diff. may be that the proposals of the Committee will be awaited.

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Addl Accommodation

II Additional accommodation

(a) Central Press, Bangalore

(1) The enlargement of the Central Press building at Bangalore at an estimated cost of Rs 75,000/-.

The chief engineer stated that the estimate for the enlargement of the Press buildings are awaited from the Executive Engineer, Buildings Division. A sum of Rs 75,000/- required therefor is proposed to be met from the insurance funds.

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Estimate Rs 75,000 is received and proposal to meet from insurance funds. (See para 93)

(2) Construction of a packing type shed/machine room to the back-yard of the Press to house the new printing machine. The Superintendent in his letter No P.1769 dated 30/10/35, requested sanction for the construction of the above packing shed which was replied by the Chief Engineer. The chief engineer, to whom the above letter was referred, stated that he has called for proposals in this matter from the Superintending Engineer, Belgaum Circle.

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The connected file (1761/A7)

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file returned today d Submd to II Member. The estimate is for Rs 93,000/- including Rs 10000/- for Sanitary fittings. HHH

was sent back to the chief Engineer with a request that the Construction of the proposed Typewriting Room may be taken up & completed early. The receipt of the reply is awaited. 94 (b) Branch Press, Aligarh.

(1) Completion of the incomplete wing of the Press building at Aligarh to find accommodation for installing printing & binding machines.

95 As mentioned by the 2nd member, the Superintendent in his letter No P.S-160 d 27/6/39, requested sanction for the extension of the Branch Press building at a cost of about Rs 5000 to Rs 6000/. The Chief Engineer, in his office letter No 9.366/PWS 118-38 4 d 6/7/39, was requested to get estimate prepared for the above work. The receipt of a reply thereto is awaited. A reminder will be issued to him if allowed.

H. Linked file PWS. 118-38-3

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Memo No A.F. 315-8 d 20/7/39 Yes 105

(2) Improvements to the machine room of the Branch Press, Aligarh, at an estimated cost of Rs 2080/-.

97 The Superintendent in his letter

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No P. 250 d 19/7/35, stated that the estimate for Rs 2080/- consisting of two parts, (a) for Rs 850/- for effecting minor alterations & the fitting up of platforms for storing tops & (b) for Rs 1230/- for constructing an addition room adjacent to the present warehouse. F

It requested that the Chief Engineer will be instructed to arrange for the work estimated at Rs 850/- being carried out early, the further action on the other estimate for Rs 1230/- being stayed for the present pending the question of completing the incomplete wing of the Branch Press. The Chief Engineer was requested, in this office letter No DF. 15-C/ PDS HS-38-6 d 31/7/35 that the work may be estimated to cost Rs 850/- may be taken up & completed early. Reply is invited to his letter No S-234 d 30/7/35 reporting the action taken in the matter. His further report may be awaited. 2

Linked file 1763

Serial No.

99 (u) Additional establishment & reorganisation proposals

(1) Central Press.

Para 31 above.

Working establishment - Rs 14,000/-.

(2) Additions to the present establishment of the Branch Press, Allepey.

Para 35 above.

Rs 4268/-

Three orders were passed on the revision of the lowest staff of the Govt Presses. One order is under issue. The proposal to sanction an additional sub-Assistant Surgeon on Rs 125-10-175 for the printing of educational text-books temporarily for a period of three years has been sanctioned by Govt. His pay will be met from the receipts realised by the sale of text-books. The Assistant Surgeon & one sub-Assistant Surgeon will be posted to the Branch Press at Allepey where the printing work of the Railway depot is started to have coincidentally increased. One of the two Assistant Surgeons Assistant Surgeon of Assistant Surgeon which has become vacant consequent on the promotion of Dr. B. Krishnaswamy

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chief as Superintendent will be abolished and against these posts two additional posts of Sub Assistant Superintendent will be created to cope with the increased of work in the Central Press, Bangalore.

2. With regard to the additional establishment (non-gazetted), it is pointed out that the Superintendent had, sometime back, submitted certain proposals for the revision of the establishment of the Govt Presses. The main file (1002 PDS 21-38) relating to this subject was sent to the Superintendent for remarks on 9/9/39. The interim reply* to the reminder issued from this office, he has promised to send up definite proposals within a week. The return of the file will, if allowed, be awaited. The question of strengthening the non-gazetted staff of the Govt Presses for additional work in connection with the printing of Text-books may perhaps be considered along with the main file.

* Dated 24/4/39

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101 IV Opening of a block making department at the Central Press at a cost of Rs 15,000/-

The Supdt. may please be asked to send his separate proposals in the matter for the consideration of Govt.

Rly para 8 9 above

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102 Dept Rly 6/12

107 A comprehensive Act will have to cover the new scheme of printing Text Books Departmentally, incorporating an assessment, breadth, machinery, other equipment, with power for rectification etc - Has the Education Minister?

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108 Ref G.O. No 9. 6448-5724 PDS 67-38-1 d 5711/39, it was decided inter alia, that the printing work of educational text-books be done at the Govt Press.

109 The idea of getting the

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educational text-books printed at the Govt Press alone has been accepted (vide para 47 above)

Two drgs:- (1) to the Supdt, Govt Printg, & (2) to the chief Engrs - are put up for perusal with reg to paras 103, 105 & 106 above.

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110 Ref. (para (6) above) Perusal before issue

A f.o. can be put up and upr orders as 15/12 proposed in all cases. Desk Key)

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112 15/12

Memo issued no A 3. 3158 dt 20.12.39

To The Supdt Govt Printing no A 3. 3157 dt 20.12.39 calls for information on certain points

From the Superintendent, Govt Printing. 8

No P 2647 dated 3/4th January 1940 furnishes the information called for.

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(1) Carrying materials

Nos 1–13 (P.W.D) — Rs 5-400 f.o.r. Bombay (including war risk insurance & freight)

Nos 14–18 — Rs 1894.

(2) Printing machinery

No 19. automatic Modern Platen for printing wrappers. — Rs 4960/— + Rs 150. — Quotation has been called for by the Supdt.

(3) Binding machinery

No 20 — Book sewing machine — 2 — Rs 5000/- each or Rs 10,000/- for two f.o.r. Bombay (including war risk insurance & freight).

No 21. — Self clamp guillotine — Rs 5000/- each or Rs 10,000/- for two f.o.r. Bombay (including war risk insurance & freight).

No 22 — Bundling Press & wire Stitching machine — Quotation has been called for by the Supdt.

Quotation received (vide the Supdt's letter dated 11/9/40 to P.W.D)

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The total estimated cost (excluding item No. 22) comes to Rs 27,294/- + Rs 4960 (Rs 150) i.e. Rs 32,400/-

114 The Supdt. requests,

(a), that orders for items 1-13 + 20-24 may be placed immediately through the T.C. with a view for dispatch in London,

& (b), that permission may be granted (a) to purchase timber, etc. required for item No 14,

& (b), to place orders for items Nos 15, 16 & 17 locally or with a selected firm (or firms) of paper-makers,

& (c), to place orders with the Govt. Electric Factory, Bangalore, for item 18.

~~The Director of Geology (excluding~~ The Dir. Secy may be consulted in the matter.

Ref paras 91 & 103 above

Sec 115 As regards funds for meeting 11/1 the cost of the equipment, Kind reference is invited to the Dev. Secy's note in para 46 above whether a similar procedure is to be followed now is for consideration.

Details of accounting referred to in para 48 above have not yet been settled. 11/1

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× 9 is ascertained for the Supdt's office Furniture (21) has been omitted by oversight & may be placed with T.C. The items should be 20-21 & 19-20.

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Letter No P 2793 dt 11/1/40 from the Supdt, Govt Press

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116 c/. Regarding the replacement of the wooden racks in the store-room of the Fort-Brook depot with up-to-date steel racks at a cost of about Rs 7000/- ——

The chief engineer, in his office letter d 24/1/39, was requested to take necessary action to include this work in the current year's budget of the P-W-D. The Supdt in his letter No 2986 d 24/1/39, has requested sanction for the purchase of two extension pans for the store-room of the depot, pending the supply of steel racks. Action on this is being taken separately. The Supdt has been asked to intimate the cost of these pans the receipt of this expenditure is awaited.

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117 If allowed, the attention of the chief engineer will be invited to this office letter dated 24/1/39 & he will be requested to report the result of the action taken in the matter

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118. (3) The consideration of the various incomplete writings of the Govt Branch Press, Mysore.

For this consideration, reports were invited to para 95 above. A reminder was issued to the Director on 20.6.1935 asking him to intimate the action that has been taken in the matter.

119 Orders will be issued by Govt in regard to the purchase of additional equipment & machinery referred to in para 114 above.

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120 In his letter no. 2641 & 4.1.40, the Supdt. Govt. Printing has given a list of 22 articles of equipment, at an estimated Cost of Rs. 32400 (~~Rs. 32400~~ excluding the Cost of item no 22 - Bundling Press & wire-stitching machine - for which information has been called for by the Supdt) & requests that (1) orders for items 1-13 & 20-21 of the P.U.A may be placed at once with the Govt Control Com-

machinery at a Cost of Rs. 53,503 has also been added.

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So that they may be used by the End of March 40,

(2) as he may be granted permission to purchase lumber &c. in rel. to 14 & 16 place orders rel. nos 15, 16, 17 & 18,

(3) an order for no 19. automatic modern Platen for the printing Wrapper, may be placed through the D.P.C.

121 The proposals of the Dept. may be sanctioned with the Concurrence. The Cost will be treated as an advance as stated in para 46 above. The examination of the question of accounting & other details will be taken up in Correspondence with the Comptroller after orders are issued on this Question.

122 The Chief Engineer will be reminded again in the matter of the Replacement of wooden racks by Steel racks & of Completing the incomplete work of the Govt. Press at Mysore. This is a Schedule matter.

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Hon'ble
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124 If the proposed purchases are inevitable and

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This is a Scheduled matter 19/1

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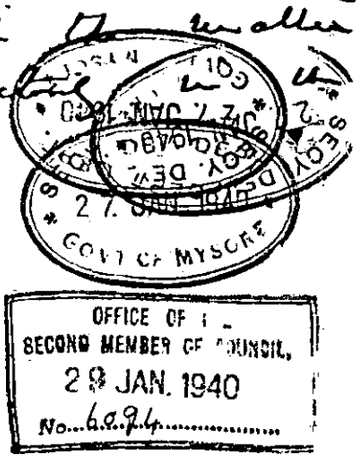
are also urgent and not deferrable, they may have to be sanctioned, though purchases of foreign materials under present War conditions involve considerable risk and extra cost which it is desirable to avoid. If at least some portion of the work of the Education Department can be got done through private presses satisfactorily, it may be possible to avoid, or at least minimise foreign purchases immediately. This question may kindly be considered.

The Comptroller may be consulted as regards the allocation.



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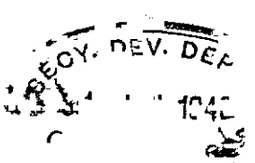

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of 1939-40.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Council Matter.

Subject

Proposal to equip the Government Press with additional machinery at a cost of about Rs.32,400/-

131 *Circulated to the Members of Council.*

By Order,

Chief Secretary to Government.

3rd February 1940.

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First Member of Council: 132 572/40

Second Member of Council. (Seen)

133 Fin. Secy. with compliments 5.2.40

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135 Development Secy. (with compliments) 6.2.40

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	Submitted with a circulation Memo Signed 3/2
	137 D-7-N. Subd for Consideration 14/2/40
	138 Dev Ley) 14/2
	139 Land. Mr) 140 16-2 Ce 16/2
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	~~Sd. Sd. Sd.

Final Note by the Second Member of Council.

Subject.— Additional equipment required in connection wit the printing of all Educational Text Books in the Government - Presses.

In connection with the printing of all educational text books in the Government Presses, the Superintendent, - Government Printing, has, in his letters dated 4th January 1940 and 11th January 1940, submitted proposals for the purchase of additional equipment costing Rs 32,000/- as detailed in his letters.

The Financial Secretary is of opinion that though purchases of foreign materials under present war conditions involve considerable risk and extra cost, which it is desirable to avoid, they may have to be sanctioned if the proposed purchases are inevitable and are also urgent and cannot be deferred He has also suggested some portion of the work being done at private presses.

I think that this is not possible as private - presses have not dealt with the matter satisfactorily in the past and that the purchases may be sanctioned.

The Dewan and the First Member of Council agree with me. The connected papers are submitted for the gracious sanction of His Highness.

SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL.

Bangalore,
16th February 1940.

Submitted to His Highness.

I submit herewith a Final Note by the SECOND Member of Council on the subject of additional equipment required in connection with the printing of all Educational Text Books in the Government Presses for His Highness' gracious ~~approval~~ sanction.

Mirza M. Ismail
Dewan.
16-2-40

Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja.

Subject.

Additional equipment required in connection with the printing of all Educational Text Books in the Government Presses.

Order.

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General and Revenue
Secretariat.

SUBJECT:—

Additional equipment required in connection with the printing of all Educational Text Books in the Government Presses.

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31. All urgent or confidential files returned with His Highness' orders may, in the absence of instructions or indications to the contrary, be ordinarily circulated to the Members of Council for perusal after the issue of orders.

33. The Secretaries concerned should see that orders in the cases referred to above are issued at once and that the files are returned immediately after to the Chief Secretary for circulation to the Members.

34. In all other cases, the files will first be circulated to the Members of Council at Headquarters and then sent to the Secretariat concerned for the issue of orders.

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Circulated to Members of Council for perusal of His Highness' orders before/after issue of orders. (*Vide* *Rules 31, 33 and 34 of the Subsidiary Rules for the conduct of business of Council in the Manual of Council Rules and Procedure.)

Chief Secretary to Government.

Through the Secretary to Government,

~~Development~~ Department.

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FIRST MEMBER OF COUNCIL.

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SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL. 24.2.40

149 Dev. Secy. with compliments.

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Draft G.O. is put up for apptl of Dft to Ch-Engr re metal Shelving of the Book Depot, ~~Malleswaram~~ Bangalore & the building up of the incomplete wing of the quadrangle at the Govt Branch press, Mysore will be subd after issue of the G.O. 151 re Examination of the Examr of accounts ~~re~~ will also be taken up after that.

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The Draft G.O. may be approved.

152 Devt Dept) 28/2

Ch 28/2 Due at table

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Financial Secy has agreed (Vide page 44 - para 134). A rate Hgrs Secy.

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To the Suptdt. Govt Printing 9
No A.F. 4524-6 dt 29.2.40
Sanctions the proposals
of the Suptdt Govt Printing for the
purchase of additional equipment
costing Rs 32400/- chief.
153/ draft to the Engineer & put up
vide para 150 supra
6/3 8/3 154) Issue & forward ref para 67.
8/3.

ISSUE & SUBMIT

Issued no. A7. 4888 dt 13.3.40
To the Chief Engineer Mysore -

Re. the examination of the
question of accounts, referred
to in para 151 supra the Comptr
will be requested to suggest a
method of keeping the accounts,
after Consulting the Suptdt. Govt.
Printing in the matter
13/3 P.C. make necessary Entries
& make up a file for dealing with
the Question.
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Action taken in the linked file
& Sanctioned. (Re paras 46, 48, 77, 121 & 151) D.O. 3754
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GEN. & REV. SECTT. - 5 APR. 1940 REVENUE & FOREST BRANCH.

D.
7-6-1939
8th Day
3rd Batch.

Cut motion ~~xxxx~~ No.97 - ~~Existing~~ Arrangements for ~~introducing~~ text books.

Mr. D.H. CHANDRASEKHARAIYA.- Sir, I beg to move:

"That the demand for Rs.93,000 under '14. Scientific and Miscellaneous Departments' be reduced by Rs.100 to discuss the existing arrangements for introducing Text Books.

The arrangements for text books are not satisfactory. They have a text book Sub Committee for each subject and books recommended by them are printed by Government Press and them copies are sent to book depots. If Government Book Depot cannot print, other private ~~companies~~ presses are asked to print them. Most of the books have been given to the Bangalore Press. I hear that ten publications have been given permanently That is the arrangement. But if a text book is prescribed, nobody considers whether the required number of copies are available at all. To quote an example, Kannada text book for Middle School ~~for~~ Examination of the year 1940 has not yet been printed so far. The Classes have already ~~been~~ commenced, but the books are not available.

Mr. H. SRIKANTIAH.- Even yesterday they were not available.

Mr. D.H. CHANDRASEKHARAIYA.- Regarding the Arithmetic text book, 'Anka Ganithadarsa' Parts one and two were prescribed. They are in accordance with the syllabus for the Fourth Class of the Middle School. But now all ~~Ra~~ of a sudden, they have introduced another

book which is called 'Anka Ganithadarsa', Part III. It is ofcourse a Government publication. It was published in 1927 and ~~there were~~ out of the 10,000 copies of it were printed and published, ~~Now~~ about 3,000 to 4,000 copies are already sold, ~~and~~ so about 6,000 may be available just now. When there are 30,000 students in the State in all the Middle Schools, how can ~~this be able to~~ 3000 or 4000 copies satisfy their needs ? Before they introduce text-books, they should see that sufficient number of copies are available for all the students. Further more this 'Anka Ganithadarsa', now prescribed is not written according to the syllabus ~~which is now prescribed~~ for the several classes. It contains many portions which are not according to the syllabus. Many other portions which ought not to have been there according to the syllabus, are found ~~there.~~ in it When it does not satisfy the requirements of the syllabus, how is it necessary to prescribe a book like that ~~is~~ prescribed for the Middle School Examination. I will give another instance. It is an inconvenience, which is often felt and expressed by the public. With regard to the prescribing of text books in English, they wish to give the choice of those books to the Headmasters. The Headmasters of each school is empowered to select any book he likes. In that case, the publishers will not be in a position to know how many copies will be required to be printed, because ~~m~~ it is only after the Headmasters have been able to exercise their discretion

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that the publishers will be able to know the number of copies. The students cannot get the required number of books in time. Another defect is this. Suppose a student want to go from one school to another ~~school~~, situated in one and the same place. If the text-books happen to be different, the difficulty will be often felt. If a student of one Middle School ~~in the same place~~ goes to another school in the same place, he will have a change of text-books. So the choice given to the Headmasters in the matter of selection of English text books, is causing very great hardship to the students, and often the required number of copies will not always be available.

One other thing, I would like to state, is in connection with Kannada text books which are being prescribed for the High School classes, IV, V and VI Forms. I am told that text books have been written up in Kannada for a few subjects only. All the other subjects are being taught in English. So far as Science is concerned, no text book has been written in Kannada till now. How is it possible for the students to know what they have got to study especially in a technical subject like that. Have we not been able to get one single person to write a Kannada text book in Science? There are very many other difficulties which are being felt in ~~the prescription~~ prescribing of text books and ~~in making text books available for sale.~~ These difficulties are real and are felt all over the

State. I hope that the Government and also the authorities concerned will consider the points I have raised, and see that these difficulties will not be felt by the public hereafter.

The DIRECTOR of PUBLIC INSTRUCTION (Mr. E.G. McAlpine).-- There are four points which the hon. member has raised. The first one is regarding the Kannada IV Reader. My attention has already been invited to the fact that the book is not available and action is being taken to speed it up. The difficulty is this. The books are submitted for the consideration of the text book sub committees. If the authors who write these books would print reasonable numbers of copies, books will be really available. But what happens is the man who writes a book gets one or two copies printed and he assures you that the copies will be made available in time and then the departme gives approval. He may have difficulties with his printers and after the books have been prescribe bythe department which in good faith accepts his assurance that the books will be made availab that is, after the Departement has trusted the authors, difficulty arises with regard to the supply of the required number of copies. In other words, the difficulty will arise if the author does not keep his promise. This question I am referring to the Text book Committees this year.

The second point is regarding the arithmetic book. I have noted this point. Since my attention has not been drawn to the fact that there are any difficulties in regard to that particular text book, so far. I have also noted the point made by the hon. member that that book does not conform to the syllabus I ac cept that statement with a grain of salt.

But I am not in a position either to conform or deny it at the moment. The text book sub committees which deal with these matters are entirely composed of educational experts. But I think it is in the lastdegree unlikely that text-books which do not conform to the syllabus will be prescribed. But I will immediately have it enquired into and, if what the hon. members says is correct, rectify it.

The next point raised was in regard to the alternative text books. This is a hardy annual in the educational field everywhere. If you read the 'Times of India', for example, you will see that heated correspondence is going on for several weeks: as to whether there should be one hard and fast text book which everybody in the province has to study or greater freedom of having a choice has to be allowed. That is the point of debate between the hon. Mr. K.M. Munshi and the hon. Mrs. Vijaya Lakshmi Pandit. I do not see that there is very much to be said in favour of the reason put forward that it means difficulty for people who are transferred, since the total number of people who come under that category is not very large out of the total school going population, but I have no objection to referring the question of these text books to the English text book committee which will meet about the first week in August.

The fourth point is about Science text books. The difficulty about this is this. The scheme for introducing the teaching of Science in Kanara was, in my candid opinion, introduced two years too soon. There were no text books available on the market. The introduction was made, I think

in April 1937, before I became Director anyhow. And orders were given to have text books written in April 1937. The Department could not get text books within a month. It is a poineer venture. They had nothing to go by. There was no unanimity of opinion, for example, as to the exact Kannada equivalents, that should be used for various words and Scientific wrods. You ~~will~~ probably realise that there is a battle between those who, on the one side, would like to take the Sanskrit names and put Kannada terminations, and those, who, on the other hand, take simple English words which everybody knows and put Kannada terminations on them. You have two different schools of thought ~~in~~ among Kannada scholars in this State. Well, orders were given and the books written. They were written slowly and with great difficulty, because they had to be written by people who were engaged in other work. You cannot get authors to do this kind of thing who ~~had~~ have no other works on their hands. We have to employ pople in the University ~~of~~ or the Department who are wholetime employees and who can only attend to this work in their spare time. Mr. D.H. Chandrasekharaiya and others will know that the text books for ~~4~~ IV 5th and VI 6th forms ~~xxxxxx~~ in all subjects are available except Biology, Chemistry and Physics. They are now in the Press. Rather books for the First of the classes refrred are already ready. And those for the others are in the Press and will be available for use this year. But I think it would ~~be inadvisable~~ have been as a policy, frankly speakir

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if the introduction of this scheme of teaching the Sciences in Kannada had been deferred for at least one year. The teachers, ofcourse, have been carrying on, as well as they could. So far as the students are concerned, it is only a question of buying a book in Kannada or in English, They received instruction last year in Kannada although books in Kannada were not available in all cases. The teachers were also giving the subject matter in English. With effect from this year the difficulty ceases altogether since the books will be available very soon. The books are available and they are ready for use.

Mr. BELUR SRINIVASIENGAR.- This is an important subject. If you will please see the Administration Report, Middle School is not a small number. The answers given by the Director of Public Instruction are not satisfactory to me. I am thankful to Mr. D.H. Chandrasekharaiya for taking pains to collect this data. Several ~~tax~~ Kannada text books of 1940 are not available though a month and a quarter has lapsed and the reasons given by the learned Director of Public Instruction that they depended on the words of a gentleman and that gentleman did not do his work properly, ~~is~~ believing an error of judgment and it should not have been committed. Our Government is a model Government and we are spending lakhs of rupees. The Middle School examination of 1940 is coming up and there are no text books. They should have been ready long before the Middle Schools started. How long can the students wait ? Sufficient precaution should have been taken ~~and~~ The explanation is not at all satisfactory. This is a question concerning ~~the~~ Middle School education throughout the State. Whoever it be, ~~the Department~~ -- I have got very great respect for our Professor -- the Department should not have permitted this mistake. Non-performance of contract is a matter between him and the gentleman. We do not want these sub committees. We look to the Head of the Department for the enforcement of the terms of the contract and for efficient discharge of ~~xxxxxx~~ duties. The first point regarding the Arithmetic book is that it is

not in conformity with the syllabus. The second point is that the number of copies are not available. The other difficulty is that so far as English text books are concerned, the Headmasters should not have been given the discretion in the selection of books. It may be done by the Circle Inspector or by the Deputy Director of Public Instruction. A student in Hassan should have the same book to study in English as a student in Davangere. We are not concerned with the hon. Mr. Munshi or any others. We are concerned with our State and we have one single Director for the whole State. Throughout our State let us have one uniform text book.

Regarding Science text books in Kannada, the Director remarked that it should not have been done two years earlier. His predecessor in office might have done it with excellent intentions. We look up to the present Director to expedite it. It may be a bit inconvenient to the printer and the rest, but service to the country is of paramount importance. I do not like these sub committees. We want work to be done. If greater control over subordinates is exercised, things will be done properly and efficiently, and there will be no room for such cut motions.

Mr. D.V. GUNDAPPA .-- Sir, I should like to supplement the remarks that have fallen from the Director of Public Instruction. I am glad he referred to the ~~defect~~ difficulty created by apparently, the author. I heard him say that the author in the first instance prints just a few copies. As a matter of fact, as one who knows something about books printed in Kannada, I could say this. Generally the author brings out one thousand copies.-- That is about the highest-- in view of the probable demand from the public. As a matter of expediency, however, it takes several years for the author to exhaust ~~that limit of~~ one thousand copies in Kannada. So he could not possibly afford to invest more money on the first edition of 10,000 or 12,000 or 15,000 copies which is the number required for the Lower Secondary Examination. So he prints 1,000 copies and submits a few copies to the Director and the members of the text books Committee for consideration. That costs him about 30 to 40 books. Latter on the Committee sits and decides upon prescribing one of the several books received by it. When that has been approved of by the Director, intimation is given to the author that it is selected. He no doubt says in his application for patronage that he has got a stock ready to meet the likely demand. But if the likely demand is so much as 15,000, it is a piece of inconvenient generosity offered to him. It is very inconvenient to him for the moment. He has already uttered what is exactly not a fact, namely, that he has got

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sufficient stock. Then he proceeds to see for the printer and prints 15,000 copies. That is a fairly a big job even for a large press like the Bangalore Press. It does take one month or two. Passing proofs is not so easy. Then in the first edition, the author has not come up to his best. So in the second edition, he makes use of the opportunity to make improvements. All this takes time and certain amount of delay is caused. I agree with Mr,. Belur Srinivasiengar and everybody and I am glad that the Director has himself agreed that this difficulty has got to be looked into. Text book Committee is a properly constituted Committee.

Mr. Belur Srinivasiengar may do away with Committees on this one occasion, but committees are necessary.

But he is personally willing to accept the suggestion.

The second point was uniformity of text books. I think the Director has clearly indicated his own personal views.

The thrid point was about the Science text books. Here also I have got only to say a word in support of what has been said already by the Director. As one who knows or who is supposed to know a little and who has tried to do little service for Kannada, I may say a word as to the quality of this books. I should very gladly acknowledge the labour that has been put into the writing of these books and the excellent way in which they have been written. Personally I have had the privilege of reading through the manuscript of one of these books on physics. It is a most excellent edition, written by one of our most brilliant young men in the University. He is a very competent man and has

done very good work. The Director has referre it to a small committee for considering the technological terms. By his generosity I am also a member of that Committee.

Mr. BELUR SRINIVASIENGAR.- I shall be glad if the work is finished soon.

Mr. D.V. GUNDAPPA.- I could assure Mr. Belur Srinivasiengar that we sit late in the night, doing our work, but it is difficult work. I shall not go so far as to say that our deliberations will bring about ideal results, but I do say that we have tried to do our best. I dare say that when the work is over and the book is placed in the hon. member's hands, he will have many a hole to pick since he has very fastidious expectations. However, we do our best.

Mr. BELUR SRINIVASIENGAR.- When will you have it ready ?

Mr. D.V. GUNDAPPA.- I can only speak about the quality of the book. The Director is probably the person to see about placing it on the market.

Mr. N. BALAKRISHNAIYA.- The Director of Public Instruction has not told us anything about the non-availability of Government publications. Many text-books are not available. For example, the Kannada VII Reader, prescribed for the third year, is a Government publication. Till now it is not available in the market. For other books also I say that the root evil lies in giving wide choice to the Headmasters. The Text-Book Committee, instead of prescribing one or two alternative text-books, goes to the extent of prescribing half-a-dezen alternatives in certain cases. I know in English, Kannada, Grammar, and Arithmetic, there are four alternatives.

The demand for

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certain copies depends upon the choice of the Headmasters. In that way, the author will not be in a position to print a definite number of these books. The books prescribed for any school will not be available. So I beg to submit that it is desirable to limit the number of alternatives books that are allowed to be prescribed by the text book committee.

Mr. H.B. GUNDAPPA.- I should thank Mr. D.H. Chandrasekharaiya for having brought to notice this difficulty felt by the public more or less throughout the State. It is rather unfortunate that between the text book committee and the department, there should be so much of delay caused in producing these text books. In fact if I may say so, the whole trouble lies in the fact that the text book committees want to patronise a number of authors, and with that idea, they give wide choice to the Headmasters also. It is rather unfortunate that in small schools there should be such a variety of books and if the text book committees were to work properlyit will not be difficult for them to prescribe what texts they would like to prescribe for the next year. If they were to choose proper authors with sufficient financial resources, they could get the required number of copies of the proper book in time. For instance even for the first year English class, the Primer would not be available in moffusil places. So many people have to come to

Bangalore to purchase that book. Government may realise what difficulties parents feel particularly the rural folk to get text books for their children. Another difficulty which was not brought to the notice of the department is that there will be repeated changes of text books from year to year. In my opinion a minimum period of ~~xxi~~ at least 5 years should be prescribed. They should say that a particular text book should continued for 5 years at least continuously. This would save parents from spending a lot of money in the matter of text books. Taking all these things into consideration, the Director would I think after all these representations, see that this inconvenience is remedied and parents helped to educate their children in a better way.

Mr. K. ANANTARAMAN.- Sir, the existence of the ~~defects~~ difficulties which have been described by the hon. member for Chitaldrug is admitted by the Director of Public Instruction. I can only say that we shall have the matter looked into and see that these inconveniences are removed. I think the hon. member for Bangalor almost implied that the Director was unwilling to go into the matter. He only explained the facts. I can promise him that everything necessary will be done.

Mr. E.G. McALPINE.- I am not unwilling to go into the matter, and the hon. member knows that I am not unwilling.

Mr. D.H. CHANDRASEKHARAIYA.- I am thankful to the Member and to the Director of Public Instruction for having been able to conceive all the ~~defects~~ difficulties which are being experienced by the public. Now the difficulty lies mostly not with reference to the private publishers, but the Government themselves. For instance regarding the Kannada text book for 1940, there was sufficient time available even for the Department to get it published. These books are prescribed much earlier than the time at which they will be purchased, -- nearly 6 to 8 months earlier, sometimes even ~~And there will be~~ 8 to 10 months ~~in advance~~ earlier. This ought to be considered sufficient time to give an order to the Government Printing Press and for having the books ready for sale by the time the next official year begins. And the Director will have to see that the office runs

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properly and proper orders are placed and in proper time to have them ready. Even in regard to grammar, there is no book at available at present for Middle Schools. I forgot to mention that earlier However, I am glad that sympathetic assurance is given in respect of removal of these defects, in view of that assurance, I beg to withdraw the cut motion.

The cut motion was withdrawn by leave of the House.

Mr. PRESIDENT.- The question is :

"That the demand for Rs.1,22,000/- under '7.Supervision of Mines' and '14. Scientific and Miscellaneous Departments' be granted."

The motion was adopted.

that a Committee has been going into the question and its report is watched, and in the meanwhile, I think, substantial sum could have been provided.

In almost all places in the State, I hear the complaint of students that they are not getting the text-books they want. They are going from shop to shop and they are coming bare-handed and a number of students, I am told, are attending the classes without text-books. I would therefore request, that in case the complaint of the students is a fact, that a larger number of text-books may be got printed and made available to the students.

Mr. E.G. McAlpine.--- I have already received a complaint in this matter and am looking into it. There is a substratum of truth in the complaint and it is a fact that certain text-books are not available. I am taking necessary action in the matter.

Mr. P. SUBBARAMA CHETTY.--- As regards the Technological Instutute, I would only say very few words. Government have spent large sum on the building and also provided a very decent sum in the budget for its maintenance and other items of expenditure. If I remember correctly a sum of Rs.80,000/- . Also I read in the papers a notification saying diploma courses, artisan courses, and certificate courses have been introduced, and the applications they wanted to receive of the number of students they would admit was also notified. It is 10, 12, and 15. That amou to 37 or 40 in all. Having regard to the la amount of expenditure involved,

No. P. 797

(Encl file of quotations & letters. Envelopes receive back. P.H.R. Shibannarao 12.9.39)

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT,
GOVERNMENT PRINTING IN MYSORE,
Bangalore, dated ....9th Sept.... *193* 9.

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FROM B. KRISHNASWAMY CHETTY, Esq., B.E., A.R.P.S., M.A.S.M.E.
~~B. VENKATASUBBA RAO, Esq., B.A., LL.B.,~~
Ag. SUPERINTENDENT, GOVERNMENT PRINTING,
BANGALORE.

SECY. DEV. DEPT. 9 SEP 1939

GEN. & REV. 14 SEP 1939 AGRI. & FOREST

P.S. 536-39-1

To

P.H. KRISHNA RAO, Esq., M.A.,
SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE,
DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT, B A N G A L O R E.

SIR,

1 In continuation or my Un-official Note, dated 23rd August 1939, in file No.P.S.296, submitting definite proposals for the Government Presses to print all the publications of the Director of Public Instruction and arrange timely supplies to the Government Book Depot, I have the honour to state that before making these proposals, latest prices for Printing and Binding machinery were called for, from a number of Suppliers, of whom only two had responded in case of printing machinery alone.

2 These two Suppliers have now intimated that their quotations may be treated as cancelled in view of the State of War in Europe. One, however, has intimated that if orders could be placed by the 19th September 1939, his quotations may stand.

3 In submitting herewith, in original, the quotations, etc., received from the two firms, I beg to state that of the machines offered, the purchasing of Two Centurette two revolution fully - - automatic printing machines at a cost of Rs.19,100/- each (Flag A) and one Centurian hand-fed two revolution printing machine at a cost of Rs.12,350/- (Flag B) will be a very profitable investment, especially taking into consideration the present international situation with prices of imported articles rising rapidly and also of the fluctuations in exchange.

4 Regarding additional equipment either for text-book printing or for arranging satisfactory supplies of blank forms and registers

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registers to the various departments of the State, Government have recognised the urgent needs of the Presses and have accordingly appointed a Committee to go into the question in detail. Pending their proposals and under the circumstances stated above, I request you to kindly obtain the sanction of Government for placing orders urgently within the time allotted by the Suppliers, for the three printing machines detailed above at a cost of Rs.50,000/- approximately.

I have the hon
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Ag. Superintendent. 9/9.
Government Printing.

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SUBJECT..... Renewals 3f at 72

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Section P and S

File No. 36-39

Serial No. 2

Diary No. of letter replied to.....

No. A 71053

To

The Supdt
Govt Printing
Bangalore

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue..... 18/9/39

Signed by..... M. C. S. S. Chari

Sir,

With refce to your letter no P.797 of 9th Sep 1939 requesting, among other things, sanction for the purchase of two centrette two revolution fully automatic printing machines at a cost of Rs 19,100/- each and one centurion hand-fed two revolution printing machine at a cost of Rs 12,350/- I am directed to state that Govt approve of your proposal and to request you to take immediate action to place the orders with the firm before the 19th Sep 39.

The enclosures received with your letter were taken back by me of your clerk on the 15th Sep 39.

I have etc

List of enclosures.....

Copied by.....

The details of specifications etc may be furnished by you to the Secy.

Examined by..... SPR

WD 0563—GPB—30,000—6-1-39

Memo No A 71052-5 for Secy.
MW. 18/9
18/9 Copy to the Secy + S.P.C. for information

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat

No. AH 1052 / PHS 26-39-2

Dated, Bangalore, 18-9-39

From

The Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Development Department.

To

The Superintendent,
Government Printing,
Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. P. 797 dated the 9th September 1939 requesting among other things sanction for the purchase of two centurite two revolution fully automatic printing machine at a cost of Rs. 19,100/- each and one centurian hand-fed two revolution printing machine at a cost of Rs. 12,300/-, I am directed to state that Government approve of your proposal and to request you to take immediate action to place the orders with the firm before the 19th September 1939. The details of specification, etc., may be furnished to you to the Secretary, Stores Purchase Committee.

The enclosures received with your letter were taken back by one of your clerks on the 13th September 1939.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Sd/- P.H. Krishna Rao,

Secretary to Government,
Development Department.

Memo AH 1052-5 dt 18-9-39

Copy of the above is forwarded, with compliments, to the Secy, S.P.C. for information.

By order,

Secretary to Government,
Development Department.

No. P. 915

Enclosure

SECY. DEV. DEPT. 19 SEP. 1939 GOVT.

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT,
GOVERNMENT PRINTING IN MYSORE,
Bangalore, dated 19th Sept. 1939.

FROM B. KRISHNASWAMY CHETTY, Esq., B.E., A.R.P.S., M.A.S.M.E.,
~~B.XXXX

As per the letter of the Firm dated 6th September their quotations furnished with their letter dated 18th August 1939, should hold good till the 20th instant.

In view of the increased tension in the international situation, the request of the Firm for increased rates is for consideration of Government.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Ag. Superintendent. 1969

Letter, dated 18th September 1939, from Messrs. Linotype and Machinery Ltd., Madras, to the Ag. Superintendent, Government Printing, Bangalore.

We thank you very much of your letter dated 15th September in connection with our quotations for "Centurette" and "Centurion" Two-Revolution Printing Presses.

We also confirm your telegram reading as follows:-

"SIXTH SEPTEMBER OFFER ACCEPTED ORDER FOLLOWS"

to which we replied:-

"YOUR TELEGRAM AND LETTER RECEIVED STOP OWING UNSETTLED STATE INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS OUR HEAD OFFICE INSTRUCT INCREASE PRICE SIX PER CENT LETTER FOLLOWS"

On Saturday last we received cabled instructions from our Head Office to the effect that prices of all printing machines and Linotypes are to be increased by six per cent.

We think you will readily understand this increase is unavoidable owing to the present condition of world affairs. The increase in cost of production, materials, war risk, etc., have made this increase imperative.

We shall be pleased therefore if you will read our quotation as under:-

One Double Crown "Centurion" Two-Revolution Printing Press (Maximum size of sheet 22" x 32½") <u>without</u> built-up Automatic Stream Feeder and Extended Pile Delivery and equipped as previously stated.		
Price of this machine f.o.r. Madras and erected free.	..	<u>Rs.11,554/- nett.</u>
A suitable variable speed 4 H.P. motor with Push Button Control can be supplied at a price of f.o.r. Madras.	..	<u>Rs. 1,537/- nett.</u>

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One Double Demy "Centurette" Two-Revolution Printing Press (Maximum size of sheet 24" x 38") with built-up Automatic stream feeder but without Extended pile Delivery and equipped as previously stated

Price of this machine f.o.r. Madras and erected free. .. Rs.18,762/- nett.

A suitable 3 H.P. motor with Push Button Control can be supplied at a price of f.o.r. Madras. .. Rs. 1,484/- nett.

We shall be pleased therefore to have your confirmation of the machines you require and that the above increased prices have been agreed to.

When sending order please give particulars of current of the motors required.

Assuring you of our best services always.

" C o p y "

For Ag. Superintendent.

DRS.

Serial No.

From the Supdt, Govt Printg.
No P. 935 d 19/9/39

Submits, for orders, a copy of letter dated 19/9/39 from Messrs Linotype & Machinery Ltd Madras, quoting revised rates, for two Centrifuge Machines recently fully automatic printing machines & one centrifuge machine-fed two recently printing machines.

The Supdt was permitted to place orders with the firm for three printing machines at a total cost of Rs 50,000/- 50,050/- before 19/9/39. He now intimates that the firm have quoted revised rates which exceed the rates quoted previously offered by Rs 3,033/-. He asks for orders

(1) whether the purchase of these printing machines may be postponed till the international situation improves

or (2) whether the Supdt may be permitted to purchase them at the revised rates. The new firm say may be

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Section PJS.
File No. 36-39
Serial No. 4

No. A 711289.

Diary No. of letter replied to.. .....

To The Supdt, Ever-Ready

Sir,

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With reg to correspondence with Govt letter No P.935 d 19/2/39 requesting orders whether the following revised rates fixed by Messrs Linotype & Machinery, Ltd, Leeds, for the Combinette Two revolution fully automatic printing machine & one Combinette Hand-fed Two revolution printing machine may be accepted, I am directed to state that the ~~the~~ revised rates offered by the firm may be accepted. with above Orders

Date of issue 21-9-39

Signed by..... Mr CSSchar

on account of the increased
Exchange in the situation

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1) One Double crown cartwright two revolution printing press (maximum size of sheet 22" × 32 1/2") without built-up automatic steam feeder & extended pile delivery, with a suitable Variable speed 4 H.P. motor with push button control and erected free f.o.r. Madras Rs 13,091/-

2) Two double Demy Cartwright two revolution printing press (maximum size of sheet 24" × 38") with built-up automatic steam feeder but without extended pile delivery, with a suitable 3 H.P. motor with push button control; f.o.r. Madras and erected free of Rs 20,246/- each — Rs 40,492/-

Total Rs 53,583

or cost the original offer of Rs 50,550/-

Please ch-
by
Dr Dev Secy
&
Dr 21-9-39

Memo No A 71290-91

Copy to the Secy, S.P.C., with reference to his office memo No A.F. 1054-5 d 18/9/39

Copy to the Comptroller — do —

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat

No. A 71289
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Bangalore, Dated, 21st September 1939.

From

The Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Development Department.

To

The Superintendent,
Government Printing, Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to correspondence ending with your letter No.P.935 dated 19th September 1939 requesting orders whether the following revised rates quoted by Messrs. Linotype & Machinery Ltd., Madras. for two Centurette two revolution fully automatic printing machines and one Centurion hand-fed two revolution printing machine may be accepted on account of the increased tension in the international situation, I am directed to state that the revised rates offered by the firm may be accepted:-

One Double Crown Centurion two revolution printing press (maximum size of sheet 22" X 32½") without built-up automatic stream feeder and extended pile delivery, with a suitable variable speed 4 H.P. motor with push button control and erected free; f.o.r. Madras.	Rs.13,091/-
Two Double Demy Centurette two revolution printing Press (Maximum size of sheet (24" X 38") with built-up automatic stream feeder but without extended pile delivery, with a suitable 3 H.P. motor with push button control; f.o.r. Madras and erected free at Rs.20,246/- each.	" 40,492/-
Total	Rs. 53,583/-

against the original offer of Rs.50,550/-

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

(Sd.) P.H.Krishna Rao.
Secretary to Government,
Development Department.

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Memo No. A/1290-91 dt 21-9-39

Copy of the above is forwarded with compliments to the Supdg. S.P.C. in continuation of this office ~~letter~~ memo No.A.F.1054-5 dated 18th September 1939.

By Order,

For Secretary to Government,
Development Department.

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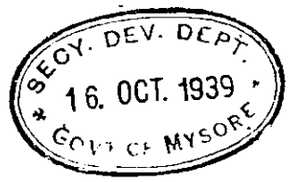

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Office of the Superintendent,
Government Printing,
Camp Mysore 15th October 1939.

From

B. Krishnaswami Chetty, Esq., B.E.,
A.R.P.S.,M.A.S.M.E.,
Superintendent, Government Printing,
Bangalore (Camp Mysore).

To

The Development Secretary to the
Government of His Highness the
Maharaja of Mysore, Camp Mysore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. A.F.1289/P&S 36-39-4, dated 21st September 1939, ordering that the revised rates quoted by Messrs.Linotype and Machinery,Ltd., Madras for two Centurette and one Centurion Printing Machines aggregating Rs 53,583-0-0 may be accepted, I have the honour to submit herewith a copy of Memo No.SPC.11965, dated the 14th instant,received from the Secretary, Stores Purchase Committee stating that the Firm have sent a telegram claiming Rs1,730/- more -- towards war risk marine insurance as a result perhaps of a severe turn in the International situation. Under these circumstances the slight enhancement is for the kind consideration of Government in view of the paucity of Machine equipment at the Central Press.

I request the favour early orders in the matter.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

B. Krishnaswami Chetty
Superintendent. 15/10/39.

Copy of Memo No. SPC.11965, dated 14th inst., from Secretary, Stores Purchase Committee, Bangalore to the Superintendent, Government Printing, Bangalore.

Telegram dated 13th October 1939 from Messrs. Linotype Machinery Ltd., Madras, ~~the~~ to the Secretary, Stores Purchase Committee, Bangalore.

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" My London Office cable war risk on marine insurance for your three machines has been increased Rs 1,730/- wire your acceptance please Machines ready for shipment."

"COPY"

Superintendent. 15/10.

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat

IMMEDIATE.
No. A71 1939
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Dated, Bangalore, 27th October 1939

From

The Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Development Department.

To

The Superintendent,

Government Printing, Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to correspondence ending with your letter Camp No.1 dated 15th October 1939 requesting orders for the payment of an additional sum of Rs.1,730/- towards war risk marine insurance over and above Rs.53,583/-, claimed by Messrs.Linotype and Machinery, Ltd., Madras, for two Centurette and one Centurion printing machines, I am directed to convey the sanction of Government in the matter.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Sd.P.H.Krishna Rao

Secretary to Government,
Development Department.

Memo No. A71 1940-41 Dated, Bangalore, the 27th October 1939

Copy of the above is forwarded to the Secretary, Stores Purchase Committee, in continuation of ~~his letter~~ Comptroller to Govt. No.A.F.1290-91 dated 21-9-1939.

By Order,

For Secretary to Government,
Development Department.

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Section P&S

File No. 36-39

Serial No. 6

Immediate

No. A-71/1939

To

The Surgeon, Govt-Printing,
Bangalore.

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 27/10/39

Signed by JWDR

Sir,

With reg to correspondence ending with yours letter no Comp no 1 d 15/10/39 requesting orders for the payment of an additional sum of Rs 1730 over & above Rs 5-3, 5-8 3/-, claimed by Messrs Simplex & Machinery Mfg Agents, towards war risk marine insurance for two centrifugals & one centrifugal printing machine, I am directed to convey the sanction of Govt-hereto in the matter.

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List of enclosures.....

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Examined by.....

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat

Dated, Bangalore, ~~16th~~ 20th December 1939.

No. A 73157
D 4536-39-7

From

The Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Development Department.

To The Superintendent,
Government Printing.

Sir,

With reference to correspondence ending with your U.O. Note dated 23rd August 1939 making certain proposals in regard to the printing of educational text-books in the Government Press, I am directed to request you to furnish information on the following points:-

(1) Whether the marginally noted additional machinery and other equipment are available now, and if so, at what cost.

(2) If orders are placed now, when the delivery of the above machinery and equipment could be expected.

(1) Composing materials, such as types, cases, stands, furniture, chases, galleys & type cabinets.
(2) One automatic modern platen for printing wrappers, etc.,
(3) Binding machinery – Folding machinery including ~~binding~~ bundling presses Guillotine and trimmer Wire stitching machine up to one half inches.

With regard to the proposal to open a block making department at the Central Press at a cost of Rs.15,000/-, I am to reques that separate proposals may be submitted to Government for their consideration.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Secretary to Government,
Development Department.

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Section P&S

File No. 36-35

Serial No. 7

No. A 73157

To The Superintendent
Govt Printing

Diary No. of letter replied to .....

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 20-12-39

Signed by .....

Copying machine such as, Lippo, Cross, Klimsch, Gestetner, Cheney, Gestetner & Hero Cabinet.

One automatic wooden plate planer for printing works, etc.

Binding machinery—

Folding machinery including bundling press guillotine & Hero stitching machine up to one & half inch.

List of enclosures.....

Copied by.....

Examined by.....

Sir

With ref to correspondence ending with your U.O. No. 23187-35 making certain proposals in regard to the printing of educational text-books in the Govt Press, I am directed to request you to furnish information on the following points:—

(1) Whether the machinery tools noted against item (1) of the enclosure are available now, & if so, at what cost.

(2) If orders are placed now when the delivery of the above equipment can be expected.

(1) Write refer to the proposal to open a block working depth of the central pass at a cost of £15,000/- Plan to be revised and fresh separate proposals may be submitted to Govt for their consideration

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No. P. 21641

Encls: One catalogue and two letters.

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT,
GOVERNMENT PRINTING IN MYSORE,

Bangalore, dated.....3rd January.....1940.

FROM

B. KRISHNASWAMY CHETTY, ESQ., B.E., A.R.I.S., M.A.S.M.E.,
SUPERINTENDENT, GOVERNMENT PRINTING,
BANGALORE.

To

C.E. NORONHA, Esq., M.A.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore, Development Department,
Public Offices, B A N G A L O R E.

SIR,

Referring to letter No.A.F.3157/P.& S.36-39-7, dated 20th December 1939, about certain equipment for printing of all Educational Text-Books in the Government Presses, I beg to furnish below the required information:-

COMPOSING MATERIALS, &c.

		Pre-War Prices.
(1) Types: First quality Type Metal, (Fry's, Copper Pass), Proportion:- [redacted] = 12.5 % = 24 %	3 Tons.	£ 160 0 0
(2) Steel Book Chases with all outside corners rounded, dovetails and slots machine cut:-		
Double Demy.	6 pairs.	15 0 0
Double Crown.	3 pairs.	6 6 0
(3) Hempel Pattern ribbed quoins, 4"	2 Gross pairs.	6 10 0
(4) Wickersham Quoins-pattern A, with Two Keys.	3 dozens.	3 16 0
(5) Precision Register Quoins with one tommy.	1 dozen.	0 17 0
(6) The Notting Patent Narrow margin steel quoins with a Universal quoin key and a special screw driver.	1 dozen.	1 10 0
(7) Frame Trolleys with spare rubber tyres.	Two.	3 10 0

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				£ s. d.
(8) Double Fold, Pressed steel Cadmium plated rust-proofed Galleys 10" x 16".	..	100	..	12 10 0
(9) Rule and Lead Cutter "Little Giant" or "H.B. Rouse" with 9" bed with back and front guages.	..	Two	..	6 15 0
(10) Composing Sticks. "The Universal", with automatic adjustment to 12 point ems. and ens. in stainless steel.	..	Six	..	5 8 0
(11) Cylinder Galley Press - Good English make or the cheapest "Vander Coocks" or "Poco".	..	One	..	25 0 0 (about)
(12) Type High Gauge "No.10 Hacker" Plate gauge portable type O R "Camco" Type High Gauge for measurement under pressure.	..		..	15 0 0 (about)
(13) Hacker Block Leveller.	..		..	25 0 0 (about)
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Pre-war prices, which even with 15 to 20 per cent increase, ~~and~~ War Risk Insurance, and Freight will cost about Rs.5,400/- F.O.R. Bangalore.

				Rs. a. p.
(14) Seasoned Timber for manufacturing in the Press Workshop and Carpentry, Type Cabinets, Stands, &c.	..		..	500 0 0
(15) Local Made Kannada Type cases.	..	15	..	120 0 0
(16) Local Made Brass Composing Sticks, 8".		12	..	24 0 0
(17) Kannada Display Type - 4 or 5 Founts.			..	500 0 0
(18) Imposing surface - A suitable planed testing surface is available at the Government Electric Factory which can be easily converted with suitable additions for our purpose.	..		..	750 0 0

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PRINTING MACHINERY.

(19) One Automatic Modern Platen for printing wrappers, &c. .. Information has been called for and particulars will be furnished early.

(8) Double Fold, Pressed steel
Cadmium plated rust-proofed
Galleys 10" x 16".

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BINDING MACHINERY.

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Two only "Cundall" model "E" Universal Double Demy folding machines fitted with semi-automatic feed, capable of folding 16 pages, two up (not with bolted heads), directly coupled with A.C. Electric Motor equipment suitable for 220 Volts, 3 phase, 25 cycle power - (£275 + £10) catalogue price, each, F.O.R. English Port, which will work out to about Rs.5,000/-, each F.O.R. Bangalore, taking into consideration freight and War Risk Insurance.

(21) Two only "Crosland" 42" Self-clamp Guillotines fitted with guards, price £294/- F.O.B. English Port.

Necessary arrangements should be made for direct drive by an Electric motor which will be purchased locally and installed; suitable motors are reported to be not readily available there.

Cost about Rs.5,000/- each F.O.R. Bangalore, including War Risk Insurance, &c.

(22) Bundling Press, and Wire Stitching Machine.) Information has been called for and particulars will be furnished early.

I beg to submit that orders may kindly be placed for items 1-13 and (20) (21) through the Trade Commissioner for Mysore, London, immediately so that the articles may be received by about the end of March or the beginning of April, by which time it is expected that some portions of the Factory Type Extension will be completed.

Item No.1 is supplied either by Fry's Metal Foundries, Ltd., Tandem Works, Merton Abbey, London, S.W.19, or Pass Printing Metals (London) Ltd., Forum House, 15/18 Lime Street, London, E.C.3.

Items 2-10 are supplied by any Printer's materials suppliers like

(1) Messrs. John Dickinson & Co., Ltd., London,

(2) Stephenson, Blake & Co., Ltd., 33, Aldersgate Street, London, E.C.1.

(3) Caslons Machinery, Ltd., 30, Aylesbury Street, London, E.C.1.

Item 11 by the above firms and also Price, Service and Co., Norfolk House, Norfolk Street, Strand, London, W.C.2.

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Items 12-13 (1) Caslons Machinery, Ltd., 30 Aylesbury Street, London, E.C.1.

(2) Camco (Machinery) Ltd., 63, Farringdon Street, London, E.C.4.

Item No.20 - Supplied by the Cundall Folding Machine, Co., Ltd., Hutchin Road, Luton Beds, England; their letter No.S.C.J./4, dated 7th November 1939, as well as their illustrated catalogue is enclosed herewith for kind reference and return.

Item No.21 - Supplied by William Crossland, Ltd., Bredbury, near Stockport, Cheshire, England; their letter No.J.M.C.W/E.W, dated 8th November 1939, with enclosed leaflet is herewith submitted for kind reference and return.

Permission may kindly be granted for the purchase of timber, &c., required for item No.14; for ordering items Nos.15, 16 and 17 from Madras or locally, and for placing orders with the Government Electric Factory, Bangalore, for item No.18.

I request that early orders may kindly be passed in the matter, so that, as many of the Text-Books, &c., as possible may be printed for supply during the year and minimise the present inconvenience to the Public as much as possible.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

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Superintendent,
Government Printing.

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No. P. 2773
Encl: One letter

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT,
GOVERNMENT PRINTING IN MYSORE,
Bangalore, dated.....11th January.....*194* 0

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From

SECY. DEV. DEPT. 12. JAN. 1940 GOVT OF MYSORE

P. KRISHNASWAMY CHETTY, ESQ., B.E., A.R.P.S., M.A.S.M.E.,
SUPERINTENDENT, GOVERNMENT PRINTING,
BANGALORE.

To

GEN. & REV. SECTT. 12 JAN. 1940 REVENUE & FOREST BRANCH.

C. E. NORONHA, Esq., M.A.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness the
Maharaja of Mysore, Development Department,
Public Offices, BANGALORE.

SIR,

With reference to letter No.A.F.3157/P.& S.36-39-7, dated 20th December 1939, and in continuation of this office letter No.P.2641, dated 4th January 1940, I beg to furnish below further information regarding equipment necessary for the printing of all Educational Text-books in the Government Presses.

PRINTING MACHINERY.

Item No.19.	One Automatic Modern Platen for printing Wrappers &c.	One Ultra Standard Heidelberg fitted with spraying apparatus with automatic feed and delivery for electric drive, without motor; maximum paper size 10″x 15″; Cylinder inking with 2 forme rollers. American Ink duct with flexible blade, Automatic throw off, attachment for printing two up. Sheet counter with tools and usual accessories. Free erection and instruction. Price Rs.4,960/- F.O.R. Bangalore, and may be ordered through the Secretary, Stores Purchase Committee, Bangalore, immediately.

Letter No.H.IC/12821, dated 3rd January 1940, is enclosed herewith for kind reference and return. The machine will be fitted with a constant speed 1.5 H.P. motor which can be purchased locally at a cost of about Rs.150/- and a variable speed motor added later on when it can be obtained from Europe on the cessation of the abnormal conditions existing at present.

I beg to bring to the kind notice of Government that metal shelving for the Book Depot kindly ordered to be put up

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up in Government letter No.G.7288/P.& S. 13-38-5, dated 28-1-1939, has not been taken up by the Executive Engineer, Buildings Division, Bangalore. An estimate for Rs.7,000/- furnished by The Commission and General Agency, Bangalore City, the representatives for Messrs. Godrej & Boyce, Co., Ltd., Bombay, is pending with the Superintending Engineer, Mysore Circle, Mysore. Unless this work is taken up and completed it will be impossible to store the lakhs and lakhs of books that will be turned out by the equipment and delivered to the Book Depot. The Executive Engineer, may kindly be directed to take up and finish the work at once.

Also, the building up of the incomplete wing of the quadrangle at the Government Branch Press, as directed in Government letter No.G.366/P.& S.118-38-4, dated 6-7-39, addressed to the Chief Engineer of Mysore, Bangalore, has also to be taken up early and completed, so that the new equipment and extra stock of paper required for the purpose of Text-book printing can be easily accommodated at the Branch Press.

I beg to request that early orders may kindly be issued for ordering the above equipment and expediting the building programme.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Superintendent. 9/1/40

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SUBJECT .....

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Diary No. of letter replied to.....

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue.....29-2-40.....193 .

Signed by .....M.V. P.S.S. Char.....

May this be—

(i) printed ?

(ii) treated as a standing order ?

(iii) published in the Gazette, English Part ?

(vi) translated ?

(v) placed at the disposal of the press ?

(vi) published in the Gazette, Kannada Part ?

Section P. & S.

File No. 36-39.

Serial No. 9

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Read— G.O. No. G. 6448-512/P.S. 67-38-1 & 5-1-39 directing among other things that the printing work of all Govt. Depts (including that of the educational text books and of the Insurance and Elect. Depts) and of semi official bodies whose work is done free of Cost may be done at the Govt. Presses

Order thereon—No.

2) Correspondence ending with letter No. 2773 & 11.1.40 from the Secretary Govt. Printing submitting certain proposals for the

Correspondence Ending with Govt. letter No. A.2-48/39 (P.W. 36-39-6 & 2) dt. 29-2-40 sanctioning the purchase of 600 Centrette & one Centrion Printing Machine at a Cost of Rs. 55,313.

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purchase of addl: equipment

Costing Rs 32,400/- required

in connection with the printing

of Educational Text Books

at the Govt: Presses.

order no: A-74524-6 dt 29/7/40

Govt: are pleased to

sanction the proposals

of the Suptd: Govt: Printing

for the purchase of addl:

equipment as per list

appended to the order.

The Secy. S.P.C.s

requested to place

in 1947 with effect for items 1-13, 19, 20 & 21

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London at an early date

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be received here as early

as possible.

Permission is granted to the Supdt Govt Printing

for the purchase of timber &c,

required for item no 14 and

for ordering items nos 15, 16 & 17 from

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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Madras or locally and for placing order with the Govt. Electric Factory, Bangalore for item no 18 and also for the purchase of a Constant speed 1.5 H.P. motor locally for ~~fitting~~ refitted to the machine Cantonment Magdeburn P Galen for printing work here etc) at a cost of about Rs 150/-

As the cost is to be recovered from the sale of Text books, the amount will have to be treated as an advance.

Secy. to Govt.
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The Superintending Engineer, Coimbatore with enclosures
Commandant, Nilgiri T.D.
Secy. S. P. C.

WD 0282—GPB—22,500—14-3-38

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS
THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

Read:—

Government Order No.G.6448-512/P.&.S.67-38-1 dated 5th January 1939, directing among other things that the printing work of all Government Departments (including that of the educational text books and of.the Insurance and Electrical Departments) and of semi official bodies whose work is done free of cost may be done a the Government Presses.

2. Correspondence ending with Government letter No.A2.1939/ P.&.S.36-39-6 dated 27th October 1939, sanctioning the purchase of Centurettee and one Centurion printing machines at a cost of Rs. 55,313.

3. Correspondence ending with letter No.2773 dated 11th January 1940, from the Superintendent, Government Printing, submitting certain proposals for the purchase of additional equipment costing Rs.32,400/- required in connection with the printing of Educational Text Books at the Government Presses.

ORDER NO. AF. 4524-6/RJS 36-39-7.

Dated,Bangalore,the 29th February 1940.

Government are pleased to sanction the proposals of the Superintendent, Government Printing for the purchase of additional equipment as per list appended to the order.

The Secretary, Stores Purchase Committee is requested to place orders for item 19 himself and for items 1-13 and 20 and 21 through the Trade Commissioner for Mysore in London at an early date so that the articles may be received here as early as possible.

Permission is granted to the Superintent, Government Printing for the purchase of timber etc., required for item No.14 and for ordering items Nos.15,16 and 17 from Madras or locally and for placing orders with the Government Electric Factory, Bangalore for item No.18 and also for the purchase of a constant speed 1.5 H.P. motor locally for being fitted to the machine (automatic modern platen for printing wrappers etc., at a cost of about Rs.150/-. As the cost is to be recovered from the sale of Text Books, the amount will have to be treated as an advance.

Secretary to Government
Development Department

The Superintendent, Government Printing with enclosures.
Comptroller to Government, through the Financial Sectt
Secretary, Stores Purchase Committee.

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Composing Materials. &c.,

		Pre-war prices.
		£. Sh. D.
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		287- 2- 0

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For Secretary to Government,
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